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Mr. Jeff Kidwell Atlantic Division **NAVFACENGCOM** Code 1823, 1510 Gilbert Street Norfolk, Virginia 23511-2699

RE:

Acceptance of the Advanced Site Inspection, Site 11 Allegany Ballistics Laboratory NPL Site

Dear Mr. Kidwell:

The Office of Waste Management/Site Investigation and Response Section has reviewed the Advanced Site Inspection (ASI) report, submitted February 1996, for Site 11 (F-Well) located at Allegany Ballistics Laboratory, West Virginia.

The Office of Waste Management/ Site Investigation and Response Section concurs with the Navys' conclusion, additional investigation will be necessary to define the nature and extent of contamination in soil and groundwater at Site 11.

If there are any questions, or if you need further clarification, please contact me at (304) 558-2745.

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Sincerely,

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